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This is a decision on the petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), filed January 24, 2001, to revive the above-identified application. The petition has only recently been forwarded to the Office of Petitions.

The petition is granted.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (Notice) mailed April 13, 2000. The Notice set a period for reply of two (2) months from the mail date of the Notice. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became shandoned on June 14, 2000. became abandoned on June 14, 2000.

Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b). The fee of \$1240 will be charged to deposit account no. 05-0670.

A copy of this decision is being mailed to Kirsten Anderson, the party who submitted the petition. All future correspondence will be mailed solely to the address listed above.

The file is now being forwarded to Technology Center 1600 to await a response (including payment of the appropriate amount for an extension of time) to the final Office action mailed September 21, 2001.

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